PRESS DESPATCHES

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WHAT IS GOING ON TONIGHT. Vaudeville and Motion Pictures at Sheedy's Auditorium.

Motion Pictures and Illustrated Songs at Roderick Theater.

Moving Pictures and Illustrated Songs at Brend Theater.

Sedgwick Post, No. 1, G. A. R., meets in Buckingham Memorial.

Columbian Commandery, No. 4, K. T. mests in Masonic Temple. Gardner Lodge, No. 46, K. of P.

mosts in Eagles' Hall. Nerwich Commandery, No. 637, U. O. G. C., meets at \$2 Cliff Street.

Loyal H. H. Orgood Lodge, No. 6920, I. O. C. F., M. U., meets in Ponemun Hall, Taftville.

Machinists' Union, Local No. 63, meets in C. L. U. Hall.

Ledge Oscar, No. 20, V. O. of A., meets in Foresters' Hall.

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Alling Rubber Co. can please you in Uniting boots, rubber coats, garden hose and other rubber goods.

John F. Parker has removed his fire insurance effice to the Chapman build-ing—Broadway and Bath streets. Frank A. Bill has the exclusive sale of Patrician shoes and oxfords—a woman's shoe that's right. See the new styles and colors at \$3.50 and \$4.

The Messrs. Cranston are showing a fine line of new goods suitable for an Easter remembrance. The careful buyer will find many choice things in their varied and exclusive stock. Their store is prettily trimmed for Easter. See the attractive show windows, and then go in and inspect the goods. Read the government on page 10.

BROADWAY THEATER.

"Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch."



"Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch" comes to the Broadway theater on Saturday, April 16, matines and night. The comody interest of this three act footlight adaptation of Mrs. Alice Hegan Ries's stories made by Mrs. Anne Crawford Flexner centers in the mirth provoking episode of Mr. Stubbins and his matrimontal designs upon little Mis' Hazy, the meek and shiftiess neighbor of Mrs. Wiggs. This portion of the original fiction has been elaberated to a notable extent, until the audience is kept in a state of merriment from the beginning of the play until the and Lovey Mary's runaway flight from the orphanage with Little Torony has been chosen by Mrs. Flexner in the great plot of the dramatic version. The play is arranged in three acts, all the scenes of which are laid in the "Cabbage Patch." The cast of, 26 principal characters comprises almost aff of the now familiar figures, while several new ones have been introduced, most prominent among them being Huskerdunkus Jones, the matrimonal agent, who introduces Mr. Saub-"Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch" being Hunkerdunkus Jones, the matri-monial agent, who introduces Mr. Saub-hins upon the scene as a bridgeroom. The juvenile element of the stories in which Mrs. Rice proved to be such an appreciative observer has not been everlooked in the dramatization, and all the Wiggs children, Asia, Australia and Europens and Billy, picturesque little Tommy and peg-legged Chris, are all introduced into the scene.

Prof. John Duxbury. Mr. John Duxbury is about to make his third visit to the United States. His perfect mastery of the art of elo-cation, his magnificent voice, his de-voit Christian character inspire great vout Christian character inspire great interest in his fine scriptural recitals, while his ability in miscellaneous pieces, both grave and humorous, greatly please and fascinate the young people His rendering of the Life of Joseph is high toned, vivid, picturesque, and full of feeling. The audience not only hear, but see the characters, and above all the self effacement of the reciter, lends the greatest charm to this heautiful story. Prof. Duxbury sailed from England on the Mauretania, now due in New, York, and makes almost his first appearance in the Osgood Memerial on Haster Monday.

Vaudeville at the Broadway Theater

Next Week. Sit up straight and take notice that Norwich will see during the week of April 12th some of the finest vaude-valle that has been before the public in this city in many months. The Broadway theater has every advantage in giving these fine productions. Its stage size, its equipment for lighting, its broadth of curtain, all will help to make these acts satisfactorily put on.

The people of Norwich will be peased to hear that the Willard's Temple of Music is to be one of the many acts at the Broadway theater next week, Sit up straight and take notice that

at the Broadway theater next week, which is caid to be the greatest music act in the world.

act in the world.

If you are feeling blue come and hear Gardner and Golden, the two fuany men in black, they will make you laugh until you cry.

Emmett and McNeil, novelty singers and dancers, are the real thing and be sure and see this.

The greatest comedy dramatic sketch, entitled Before the Play, is a wonder, and Margaret Keene and Co. make you glad that you went to the Broadway theater.

Sandy Donaldson's singing, dancing and improvementable of which the state of the sand improvementable of which and improvementable of the sand improvemen

and impersonations is what we all have been waiting for and will please every-

Everybody that sees the perform ance Monday will be sure to come and see it two or three more times during the week. The moving pictures are changed every Monday and Thursday and will be of the kind to please evmybody,

Dry Goods and Furnishing Stores to IMPORTANT Be Open All Day Today.

This year sees the inauguration of a new custom. All the dry goods and furnishing stores of the city will be furnishing stores of the city will be open all day Friday before Easter. The change is made in the belief that it will be of benefit to the shopping public. Putting off all the Easter shopping till the very day before means doing many things in a rush and doing them unsatisfactorily. The opening of the stores today gives abundance of time to everybody to do their Easter shopping leisurely, and all the local merchants are satisfied that the public will appreciate the convenience. will appreciate the convenience.

The Maxwell Still Going.

When F. J. Tyler of Boston started a Maxwell touring car in Boston, on March 18, for a run of 10,000 miles, to be made without once stopping the engine, there were many who felt cer-tain that the feat would never be ac-complished, for never has an automo-bile gone the distance without stopping the engine many times. Yet in spite of this fact the engine has now been

of this fact the engine has now been running three weeks, having covered \$.500 miles without once stopping, running 24 hours each day with never a let up, and never so much as the missing of a single explosion.

Never has this been accomplished by an automobile engine, and never in fact has any passenger vehicle traveled this distance under its own power without a stop. It is a distance not easily realized, more than three times the distance from New York to San Francisco, yet the Maxwell has done almost all of this to date without the least engine trouble.

least engine trouble.

The run to date has been the wonder of the automobile world, and never has any automobile event attracted the attention that the one now in progress has, for it is, to say the least, a revela-tion of the capabilities of a Maxwell

Bernard Ring, on Chestnut street, Is the local agent for this machine. See him before placing your order. See

#### BREED THEATER.

The Curtain Pole Screaming Moving Picture Success.

What promises to be one of the most successful bills shown at the Bred theater is now on and the audience left theater is now on and the audience left the theater last evening in a hilarious mood, after witnessing the big comedy picture. The Curtain Pole. There is not a dull moment in this picture, and from the moment the Frenchman purchases the pole until he reaches the house with it there are more laughs to the minute than in any other picture ever shown at this theater. There is a fremendous demand for this picture, so the manager will be able to hold it only until Saturday, but it will be shown at every performance on that day.

that on Saturday afternoon a beaut that on Saturday alternoon a best that on Saturday will be presented to every lady to the extent of 209. Don't fail to attend this week, at the usual admission, five cents.

Easter Shopping at the Mohican. Easter with all its attendant joys and pleasures will be incomplete with-out the usual holiday supply of the

out the usual holiday supply of the many good things to eat which are now rolling into town by the train load.

The Mohican company has been anticipating an unusually heavy trade, and for some time past has been making preparations to supply their patrons with all kinds of pure meats, smoked hams, fresh new laid eggs, vegetables, butter, fancy and staple grocerles fresh fruits, and an exceptionally large assortment of baked goods.

frints, and an exceptionary large assortment of baked goods.

The shopper wishing to select her needs will find an abundant variety at her disposal, and the wise housekeeper will do her trading early

### MAYOR LANDERS HONORED.

New Britain Executive Made an Officer of National Playground Associa-

New Britain has been recognized by the Playground Association of America in the appointment of Mayor Landers as one of the vice presidents of the association. The city is among the first in the country to have a playground for the boys and girls. For this New Britain is indebted wholly to the mayor, who prvided and main-tained the playground out of his own private means.

Women Catch Eighteen Trout. Mrs. Alile Clark and her sister, Mrs. Engstrom, of Higanum, tried their hand as anglers for trout. Between the two they succeeded in landing 15. Seven of them weighed over threequarters of a pound each.

"They say Flubdub's youngest boy is quite a prodigy," "Yes, he can name all the vice presidents of the United States,"—Puck.

### CASTORIA For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of Chart. Thitches

LOST AND FOUND.

1.05T-Between East Norwich and Poquetanuck, lady's fur glove. Finder please leave at Potter's store, East Norwich, or store of George Mansfield, Poquetanuck.

## GAIN SOMETHING

by a course in Bookkeeping. Shorthand and Touch Typewriting

Norwich Commercial School Broadway Theatre Bidg.

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WANTED-Position as gardener, by our or day. Apply at Bulletin Office. apr8d

WANTED—Position as stenographer Fully capable. Address "K.," Builetin Office. apr7d WINDERS WANTED—Wanted a few experienced winders; steady work. Ap-ply West Side Silk Mill. aprod

WANTED-A woman for cooking. WANTED—Man around 50 to look after our business in this county. Write today for information; permanent. C. R. Burr & Company, Nurserymen, Man-chester, Conn.

WANTED—An experienced forement thoroughly competent to take charge of single gun assembling, can learn of a good position by addressing X., care of this paper.

WANTED—By a young lady, a post-lon for the summer as governess or raveling companion. Excellent refer-nces furnished. Address M. J. B., Bul-etin.

WANTED-500 sewing machines to repair when agents say they are worn out. Supplies for all makes. Needles like doz. Quick service, expert workmanship. Shears sharpened. General jobbing. Sewing Machine Hospital, Braed Bidg., I flight, Washington Sq. Al. H. Owsley, Mgr. apr2d

An honest, industrious, reliable man, young or middle-aged, to work in a retail store. One who has had experience preferred. Must give good references. Address Business, Bulletin Office, Norwich, Conn. apr7d

### WANTED

Family cooks, general house girls, waitress, kitchen help, dish washers and farm help. Do you want a relia-ble man for lawn and garden, J. B. LUCAS, room \$2 Central Bldg.

#### LEGAL NOTICES.

house with it there are more laughs to the minute than in any other pioture ever shown at this theater. There is a tremendous demand for this pioture, so the manager will be able to hold it only until Saturday, but it will be shown at every performance on that day.

The highly interesting, romantic and tragic history of Charlotte Corday is vividly represented, and to add to its interest it is beautifully hand colored.

The Tragic Love is another feature picture, produced by the American Biograph company, and is a great novelty in the story line, and is very absorbing in its interest as is the sweet little story of His Ward's Love, that deals with the mutual love of a young minister and his ward.

The Assassination of the Duke de Gulse is a strong picture, but very accurate in every detail, completing an excellent programme. Madam Morelle and Mr. Delaney sing at each performance.

At the Rederick.

Large audiences greeted the Pasalon Piay, which was shown at the Roderick commencing Thursday. It will be continued all week. In addition to the above there were shown a new thrilling western picture, A Cowboy's Argument, and Talked to Death. Mr. O'Nell rendered The Holy City in a very capalier manner, and was applauded loudly. A special feature for the remainder of the week will be Miss Jennie Herternan, a well known local soprano, who possesses a sweet, clear voice. She will sing The Paims. All ladies remember that on Saturday afternoon a beautiful Easter souvenir will be presented to every lady to the extent of 200. Dots the content of the pipe in the pipe in the content of the system of the content of RECEIVER'S SALE.

AT A COURT OF PROBATE HELD brwich, within and for the District brwich, on the 5th day of April, 1909.

A. D. 1809.
Present—NELSON J. AYLING, Judge.
Estate of Michael McGorey, Inte of
Lisbon, in said District, deceased.
The Administrator exhibited his administration account with said estate
to the Court for allowance; It is there-

for the Court for allowance; it is therefore
Ordered, That the 26th day of April,
A. D. 1909, at 10 o'clock in the forencon,
at the Probate Court Room in the City
of Norwich, in said District, be, and the
same is, appointed for hearing the
same, and the said Administrator is directed to give notice thereof by publishing this order once in some newspaper having a circulation in said District, at least ten days prior to the
date of said hearing, and make return
to the Court.

NELSON J. AYLING, Judge.
The above and foregoing is a true
copy of record.

Attest: FANNIE C. CHURCH,
apr8d Cierk.

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237 Main St., Norwich, FAY BUILDING.

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FOR SALE—Carload New York state ows for sale. James H. Hyde, North ranklin, Ct. apr?d Franklin, Ct. FOR SALE—Cyphers, large size, out-door brooders, in perfect condition, at one-half the first cost. G. V. Shedd, Preston City, Conn. aprisd FOR SALE—A fine No. 28 Mages range cheap. Inquire at 62 Division St apred

FOR SALE—One Holstein cow, new milch, 4 years old. A. A. Boothby, Lebanon Green. EGGS FOR HATCHING—S. C. W. Leghorns, S. C. R. I. Reds and Buff Orpingtons, 56c for 13. Mrs. H. E. Rob-bins, Norwich, Conn. R. F. D. No. 6. Near R. R. station at Fort Point and near the Westerly trolley. Leave trol-ley at hospital.

FOR SALE—Singer sewing machine; latiest improved drop head; perfect con-dition; reasonable, Address C. M., cars of Bulletin.

FOR SALE—Loam stones and gravel.

J. M. Young. Tel. 338-2. apr7d

FOR SALE—Building lots opposite velvet mill. Apply to P. Bolduc, Taftville. apr6d

FOR SALE—Hyde Tavern, residence of late H. C. Cottrell; 13 rooms and at-tic; barns, sheds and henhouses; four acres of land, more or less; sold at a bargain if taken at once. Inquire of Adm., T. Potter, Norwich. 'Phone 161-4. apr7d

FOR SALE—Horses: A carload of the best chunks ever seen in this city weighing from 1059 to 1400 lbs. apiece. Can be seen at W. M. Stanley's, Fox Hill, Preston. FOR SALE—A medium sixe sufe. 31 Willow St. apr3d

HORSES FOR SALE—Henry Arnold, 312 Jackson street, Willimantic, Conn. jan17d FOR SALE—Universal gasoline engines, motor boats, rowboats. Remarkable values. West Mystic Mfg. Co., West Mystic, Con., feb8d

FOR SALE-Three cheap work corses. Apply to A. T. Gardner, marged

FARM BARGAINS. Good 60 acre farm, 4 miles from Willimantic, nice location, price \$1,200; 25 acre farm, high ground, good land and buildings, price \$1,800; good restaurant and lodging house for sale; central located confectionery store doing a good business, good reason for seiling. Send for list and views of our farm properties or call at TRYON'S REAL ESTATE AGENCY.

TRYON'S REAL ESTATE AGENCY, 715 Main St. Willimantie, Conn.

SMALL PLACE of 3s acres, focated in the town of Hampton, Conn. Good house of 5 rooms and attic; barn and henhouse. Place will keep four cows and a horse; land equally divided into woodland and pasture; wood enough for fire, good well at house and brook runs through pasture. On R. F. D., near neighbors, 1½ miles from station, Price \$300; \$300 can remain on mortgage. Address Merritt Welch, Chaptin, Ct. jan30d

#### FOR SALE One bay mare, good driver or for

Can be seen at STODDARD'S STABLE

horse, excellent roadster.

light delivery wagon; one chestnut

## For Sale

No. 208 West Thames St., known as the FRANK A MITCHELL PROPERTY.

The house has 14 rooms, three baths, fireplaces, steam heat, gas, electricity. All in perfect condition, Most favorable terms.

Inquire of JAMES L. CASE. 40 Shetuoket St., Norwich, Ct.

In order to make room for a carload of Horses that will arrive here Monday, April 12th, I must dispose of these on hand. I have a few of all kindsdrivers, draft, chunks and business Horses. I am just cutting them loose. If I can see my money back, no one will sell closer than I will. Come and see or telephone.

### ELMER R. PIERSON.

TO RENT-Orchard St. 6 rooms, floored attic and cellar, closet and bath. Large lot, lawn, shrubbery and fruit. To RENT-Thamesville, 6-room cottage, bath, closet, large lot. Near trolley line. TO RENT Dunham St. 4-room tene

TO RENT-Good 6-room tenement in Baltic street. To small family only. FOR SALE—Cottages in Baltic, Or-chard, Dunham, John and Lake streets, and on Roosevelt and Platt avenues, etc.

WHITNEY'S AGENCY, 227 Main Street, Franklin Square, Real Estate and Insurance

mar4d JUST ARRIVED AT MY STABLES

**50** Horses

FROM THE LUMBER CAMPS.

I shall have two more carloads of those Lumber Horses from the Whits Mountains, and, unless I am very much mistaken, there will be a buyer here today for every horse. These Lumber Horses are a great snap for you and for me. I get them all, They are bought by the lumbermen in the fall and are worked hard all winter, and when spring comes they must be sold! I have a contract with the lumbermen that insures my getting them every year. Such horses are safe and sure bargains. They are thin from very hard work, but give them just a little show and see how quickly they will fill out. Having worked hard all winter, they are thoroughly acclimated and will start right in and work for you all summer. PRICE \$25.00 to \$100.60.

Come today and bring your money with you-for you'll surely want to buy when you see the horses. My last lot went in one day! THREE CARLOADS OF OHIO, VER-

MONT AND IOWA HORSES. Aside from the two carloads of Logsing Horses, I shall have three carloads of selected Horses from Onio
Vermont and Iowa. Magnificent Draft
Horses, Farm Horses, Trotters, Pacers,
Carriage Pairs and Grocery Horses.
Fancy stock, you bet—the kind of
fancy stock that Blumenthal, and only
BLUMENTHAL, can show you. Fin
having a great season—a record-BLUMENTHAL, can show you. I'm having a great season—a record-breaker, in fact. But I'm delivering the goods, and my prices are mani-festly fair and reasonable.

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TO RENT.

TO RENT—At 53 Oak street, nice tenement, either four or seven large rooms, first floor. Apply Mrs. W. M. Vers, 58 Hobart Avenue. dec14MWF TO RENT—Furnished rooms at Rock Glan. Tel. 338-2. apr74 apr74

To RENT—Eight-room tenemers, also arn. Enquire at 310 Main St., or tele-phone 652-5. FOR RENT-A seven-room flat with modern improvements, 151 Boswell av-enue, Inquire at same. aprid

TO RENT-At 15 and 17 Thames St., bakery and salesroom, two Johnson brick ovens. Inquire of F. Herbert Brown, 125 Laurel Hill Ave. mar29d TO RENT—Basement at 55 Franklin street; suitable for the paint, plumbing or similar business. may7d

FOR RENT.

No. 236 Washington Street, Residence now occupied by the Buck-ingnam family. Fine yard, excellent location. House has modern conven-lences. Possession April 1, 1809. Inquire at premises or of

JAMES L. CASE, 40 Shetucket St., Normariod Norwich, Ot.

FOR SALE.

## FOR SALE

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Eight Rooms and Bath. Steam heat, electric light, laundry, modern plumbing. Exterior and interior of the house have been entirely renewed. Exceptional chance to secure a home in a fine neighborhood. Inquire of

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WM. B. WILCOX..... Auctioneer AUCTION.

Will be sold at Public Auction, at the premises of Henry B. Latham of at the premises of Henry B. Latham of MoNDAY, APRIL 12, 1980, the following personal property: Six cows (2 with caif beside), 2 horses, 2 fall shoats, 75 hens, 1 pair bob sleds, 1 team wagon, 1 sieigh, 1 dump cart, 1 market wagon, 1 mowing machine, 1 horse rake, 1 hay tedder, 3 cultivators, 1 weeder, 1 cutaway harrow, 1 spring tooth riding harrow, 1 M plow, farming toots of all kinds, quantity first quality hay, 3 stacks out straw, 75 bushel coats, 50 bushel corn on eac, 25 bushel coats, 50 bushel corn on eac, 25 bushel ronk turnips, 5 bushel carrots, 1 old-fashioned cherry desk, 1 old-fashioned cherry desk, 1 old-fashioned mention.

Sule possitive. Terms, Spot Cash. II

Sale positive. Terms, Spot Cash. If stormy, sale next fair day.
apred HENRY R. LATHAM.

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dow some of the newest patterns in carpets. They make attractive floor coverings. You can save money if you will buy here. Step in and investigate the offerings.

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62-66 Main Street.

Pure and warranted to be the strong est on the market. Prepared by F. E. PECKHAM, East Side,

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PAINTING! PAINTING;

That is our business and now is the time to have it done. We will be glad to give you estimates and our work will be done in a first-class manner at a reasonable figure. Give us a trial order. BROWN & ROGERS, 27 Chestnut St.

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#### Lafavette Street. Telephone. The Quality

of every Drug, Chemical or Medicine in our store is guaranteed. Purity is always found here.

Let us fill your prescription. DUNN'S PHARMACY,

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WHEN you want to put your bustness before the public, there is no medium better than through the advertis-

## FOETRY.

THE MONITOR.

Ol' clock a-standin' on de mantel shelf;
Nuffin' much to do excep' a-taikin' to
hisself;
Tellin' 'bout de seconds an' de minutes
an' de hours,
Countin' off de days between de snowstorm an' de flowers;
Jes' a sing-song story, for de mos' he
hus to say
Is, 'Yesterday was jes' about de same
thing as today;"
An' de days dat's still a-comin' you is
gwineter find at last.
Is purty much de same as you was used
to in de past.

So, what's de good o' waitin' if you sees a chance to smile.

A-thinkin' dat de laughter may be better after a while?

An' what's de good o' sighin' foh de hopes of long ago.

When de present has its prospects, same as what de past could show?

Say, chillun, is you strivin' en an' smilin' in de Now.

Or is you jes' complainin' 'bout de whyfore an' de How.

An' fixin' up a future dat'il find you en de shelf.

Wif nuthin' much to do excep' a-talkin' to yourself?

Washington Stas.

A LITTLE KISSING.

Correspondent sends in the following clipping with his own addition:

A little kissing,
Now and then,
Is why we have
The married men,
—Birmingham (Ala.) Age-Heralé.

A little kissing,
Too, of course,
Is why we have
The quick divorce,
—Chicago Record-Herald.

A little kissing's
Lots of fun
If you can kiss
The proper one
—Cleveland Leader. The proper one— That may be The wife or dog, Or wee baby.

WEWS AND VARIETIES. Clever Sayings,

DeFlatt—Is it true that you once bribed an officer of the law? Suburb —You can call it a bribe if you want to. I gave a policeman \$2 to induce our cook to stay.—Chicago News.

Grannie (anxious to be allowed to read in peace)—And what are you going to do now, my dear? Bilsabeth—Well, grannie, I've thought it over, and I've decided to devote myself to you till bedtime.—Punch. "It's mighty bright weather," "Oh, yes! but trouble's a-comin'!" "Haven'l any objection to the susshine, have you?" "Oh, no: except that it's too bright for my poor old eyes."—Aflants Constitution

"How do the milliners manage be get out these snormous Easter hats on time?" "Modern construction methods account for it. The steel framework is erected first, and then the trimmers can work on every story independently." — Louisville Courter-"Did you ever know a fellow who was glad he was poor?" "Yep." "I don't believe it." "It's true. He was the living skeleton in a side show, and got \$150 a week for it."—Cleveland Leader.

Constitution,

"What made you set 5 o'clock as the time for your dinner party? I never heard of such an outlandish hour." "It was necessary. I'm going to wear one of those 500-button dresses that night and I can't possibly be ready before that time."—Detroit Free Press.

"I'm not going to invite Mr. and Mrs. Brown over here to play cards any mere." "What's the metter Don't you like Brown?" "Oh he's all right, but the's a positive oors. She won't discuss scandal, millinery of caits recipes during the game."—Detsoit Free Press. "Monster, your heart is of stone!"
shrieked the leading lady in "Tillie,
the Tearful Thrashing Machine Giri."
No, indeed," scoffed the cold, cruel
villain. "It is of reinforced concrete,
which is just 28 times as hard as common stone." Then the scone-in-a-Bavarian-village curtain went down.—

"Father," said the minister's little daughter, "the paper says you 'officiated at the wedding clad in the traditional garb of the clergy. What does 'traditional' means." Traditional. 'traditional' means?' Traditional,' my dear," answered the good man as he looked at his cheap suit of black with a sigh, "refers to something that has been handed down."—Chicago

News. "It is really a pleasure, ma'am, to observe how readily your little boy runs your errands!" "Oh, he's the boy that lives next door. I get him to do my errands because my own boy won't." "Ah! What is your boy deing now?" "There he is, rushing on an errand for the lady next door!"—Lappincott's Magazine.

MUCH IN LITTLE. The majority of the public schools in Ecuador are held in houses not con-structed for school purposes, and be-youd a few rough benches or chairs there is no school furniture. School desks are practically unknown.

At Altoons, Pa., just as Jacob Akers, a hotel man, let fall the axe which was intended to cut off the head of a hen, his prize fox terrier sprang at the chicken and received the blow across the nose, all but cutting it off. The Boston news bureau figures the production of copper on the American continent for January at 102,100,000 pounds, as compared with 107,000,000 pounds in December, 1908, and 65,-915,000 pounds in January, 1908.

The fvory nut, which is so much used by button manufacturers, is the fruit of a species of paim which grows in Central and South America. It forms a valuable crop, particularly in Pana-ma, Colombia, Ecuador and Peru.

The Independent, a newspaper of Sheffield, England, announces that a manufacturing firm of that city is now placing on the market a sized which has from three to seven times the cutting power of existing high grade steels and which can be hardened in water, oil or blast.

The new solicitor general of the United States, Lloyd W. Bowers, was graduated at Tale in 1879 at the head of his class. Henry M. Hoyt, his predecessor in office, is one of President Taftis classmates and the president bimself was solicitor general in 1890-

The biggest mag in the world will be constructed by the celebration committee on the south side of Queensboro bridge in New York. It will be 3,724 feet long and 59 feet, high. The principal towns and cities affected by the bridge will be shown by green lumps, electrically lighted, and at night it can be studied at almost any point along the East river.

An economical retainer in which to ship products such as cement, lime and plaster is described in Popular Me-chanics. Its halves are separable and chanics. Its halves are separable and can be nested in a compact form for the return fourney. The cost of the barrel is about \$1, which is a little more than twice that of a wooden barrel, but they are said to be good for at least 15 round trips, and the room they occupy when empty outs down the shipping bill one-half.